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Entitled: **COLOR HALFTONING USING A MULTI-LEVEL  
SUCCESSIVE-FILLING HALFTONE SCREENING ALGORITHM**

Enclosed are:

- [XX] 13 sheets of specification, 4 sheets of claims, 1 sheet of Abstract.  
[XX] 5 sheets of formal drawings, Figures 1-4.  
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